GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3858
ANSWERED ON:13.12.2002
PERMISSION TO DEPOSIT I.T. RETURNS IN POST OFFICE
ALE NARENDRA;CHANDRA NATH SINGH;NIVEDITA MANE;SADASHIVRAO DADOBA MANDLIK

Will the Minister of FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are contemplating to provide

(b) facility of filing income tax returns in Post Offices

(c) and Banks;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the Government have fixed any deadline to clear

(e) all tax related claims; and

(d) if so, the details with the outcome thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Not applicable in view of (a) above.

(c) Disposal of tax related claims is a continuous process. Various claims for issue of refunds, rectification of mistakes, giving effect to appellate orders etc. are filed by the assessees throughout the year. Processing of these claims and appropriate action arising therefrom also continues throughout the year.

(d) Not applicable in view of (c) above.